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In re Application of:)
David W. Cannell et al.) Group Art Unit: 1615
Application No.: 09/614,118) Examiner: B. Seidleck
Filed: July 11, 2000)
For: THE USE OF C3-C5)
MONOSACCHARIDES TO)
PROTECT KERATINOUS)
FIBERS)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In reply to the Office Action mailed September 7, 2001, Applicants respectfully requests reconsideration of the present application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS:

In compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, Applicants provide below a clean copy of the amended claims and, as an appendix to this Amendment, Applicants submit a marked-up version of these claims using bold brackets to indicate deleted material, and bold and underlining to indicate added material.

Please replace claims 9, 12, 13, 16, 18, 38, 41, 42, and 46 with the following: